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Joint Legislative Committee on Local Government
Committee Chair and Committee Assistant
NC General Assembly
16 W. Jones Street
Raleigh, NC 27601

Re: Financing of Sewer Improvements by Tuckaseegee Water & Sewer Authority

Dear Members:

On August 1, 2017, Tuckaseegee Water and Sewer Authority (TWSA) was notified by North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality - Division of Water Infrastructure (NCDEQ-DWI) that our application for the Jackson Paper & Dollar General Store Lift Station Improvements had been reviewed and funding was approved in the amount a maximum of \$378,800.00 in State Reserve Project grant and \$1,136,400.00 in loan at 0% interest. The funding for this project is pending approval by the Local Government Commission.

To date the following milestones have been met as required by NCDEQ-DWI:

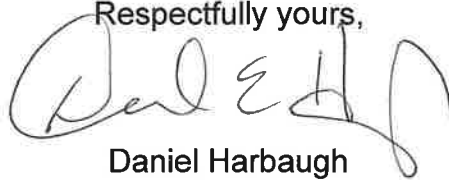
- Engineering Report Submittal
- Engineering Report Approval
- Bid and Design Package Submittal

We hereby notify you of TWSA's intent to proceed with the Jackson Paper & Dollar General Lift Station Improvements project subsequent to loan approval by the Local Government Commission.

The next phase for this project is the Bid and Design Package Approval which is in progress.

If you should have any questions please feel free to contact me at 828-507-4892, Ext 203 or by email at ddharbaugh@twisanc.us.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Daniel Harbaugh', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Daniel Harbaugh
Executive Director

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